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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
UNS ELECTRIC, INC. FOR THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND REASONABLE
RATES AND CHARGES DESIGNED TO
REALIZE A REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN
ON THE FAIR VALUE OF THE PROPERTIES OF
UNS ELECTRIC, INC. DEVOTED TO ITS
OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF
ARIZONA.

DOCKET NO. E-04204A-09-0206

PROCEDURAL ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:

On September 30, 2010, the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") issued Decision No. 71914 which authorized UNS Electric, Inc. ("UNSE" or "Company") to increase its rates and made certain other findings. During the Commission's deliberations at its September 22, 2010, Open Meeting, the Company's line extension policy was discussed including an amendment proposed by Commissioner Stump ("Stump Proposed Amendment No. 1") that would have returned UNSE's extension policy to a free 400 foot allowance, as the policy existed prior to the issuance of Decision No. 70360 which eliminated the free footage allowance.

On January 4, 2011, at its Staff Open Meeting, the Commission voted to reopen Decision No. 71914, pursuant to A.R.S. § 40-252, for the limited purpose of considering amending the Decision to adopt Commissioner Stump's Proposed Amendment No. 1, as discussed at the September 22, 2010, Open Meeting. The Commissioners indicated that a hearing on this matter would be conducted at its regular Open Meeting scheduled for January 11 and 12, 2011, and directed the Hearing Division to issue a Procedural Order inviting interested parties to file comments prior to the hearing and Open Meeting. The Commissioners stated that additional verbal testimony may be permitted at the hearing and an administrative law judge may preside over the taking of additional testimony, following which deliberations will commence to consider Commissioner Stump's Proposed Amendment No. 1.

Finally, the Commissioners indicated that requests for additional time would be considered.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that all interested parties wishing to comment regarding Commissioner Stump's Proposed Amendment No. 1, are encouraged to file comments, or a summary of comments, in writing, by no later than January 10, 2011, pursuant to the limited reopening of Decision No. 71914 under A.R.S. § 40-252, as approved at the January 4, 2011, Staff Open Meeting. Requests for additional time will be considered by the Commission.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that additional verbal testimony may be taken at the hearing, following which deliberations will commence to consider Commissioner Stump's Proposed Amendment No. 1.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend, or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at hearing.

DATED this 6th day of January, 2011.



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ASSISTANT CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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